

FARMER IS KILLED BY FALLING TREE

Andrew Levar, 46, Meets Ter- rible Death on His Farm Near Central City

CENTRAL CITY, June 30.— Caught beneath a falling tree while he and his son were engaged in cutting timber on the family farm near the Daley Church, Andrew Levar, aged 46 years, was instantly killed yesterday. The victim's head was crushed and he also suffered fractures of the back and both legs.

Coroner H. S. Kimmell, of Somerset, was notified of the fatality and he instructed L. D. Sine, of Cairnbrook, to conduct an investigation. Upon learning the details of the accident as reported by Andrew Levar, jr., son of the deceased and who witnessed the horrible accident, Mr. Sine decided that death was accidental and that an inquest would not be necessary. The Levar boy said that his father was kneeling on the ground when the tree started to fall and he gave warning to the son. The tree fell in a direction other than the elder Levar had expected, and he was caught beneath it.

Levar's body was turned over to Undertaker G. C. Meek, of Windber, to prepare for burial. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in the local Slovak Catholic Church, conducted by the Rev. Father Banik. Burial will be in the church cemetery.

Levar had owned and lived on the farm where he met his death for a number of years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Levar, and five children—Mary, Andrew, Julia, Emil and Jennie, all at home. He also leaves one brother, Frank, in Europe, and two sisters, Mrs. James Mehaleid, of this place, and Mrs. Andrew Opeka, of Imperial.